

## A B S T R A C T

A headrest device for a vehicle seat, the headrest device including a stop device that is mounted to move  
5 between an active position adapted to prevent the headrest from being moved downwards beyond a low abutment position, and an inactive position adapted to enable the headrest to be moved downwards beyond its low abutment position into a retracted position. An actuator device  
10 is adapted to move the stop device from its inactive position to its active position while the headrest is being moved into its retracted position.